

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

In the matter of:

JAIME CRUZ AGOSTO
Debtor

Case No. **97-08372 (GAC)**

CHAPTER 7

**APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO RETAIN
ATTORNEY**

COMES NOW the debtor by his counsel and very respectfully **states** and **prays** as follows:

1. It will be necessary for applicant to employ and retain **Manuel U. Rivera Jiménez**, an attorney, to prosecute his civil action for damages against **Fernando Román** in the Commonwealth Courts. (According to debtor, **Mr. Román** is liable for the lost of his laundry business.)

2. Applicant wishes to retain **Manuel U. Rivera Jiménez** a duly licensed attorney at law experienced in such matters, whose address is 0-13 Delgado Dev., Caguas, P.R. 00725 (Phone 743-1474) to represent him.

cc: debtor

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U.S. Bankruptcy Judge

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3. The compensation of said attorney will be 33% of the gain obtained, if any.

WHEREFORE, applicant prays that the Court enter an order authorizing the employment of **Mr. Manuel U. Rivera** as his attorney in his action against **Fernando Román**.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this same date a copy of this motion has been mailed to the **U.S. Trustee Office**, to **Mr. John A. Zerbe**, Trustee, 165 De Diego Ave., San Francisco, Río Piedras, Puerto Rico 00927, and to all creditors.

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, this 16th day of February 2000.



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